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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Sir:

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- 1) Letter to the Examiner;
- 2) Copy of Form 1449 submitted with Information Disclosure Statement filed on November 9, 2006. with corrections marked in red;
- 3) Replacement PTO Form-1449 with 8 references cited.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Sir or Madam,

Attached, please find a replacement PTO Form-1449 citing 8 references. The replacement form is hereby submitted in order to correct typographical errors which were made on the Information Disclosure Statement filed with the USPTO on November 9, 2006. Also attached is a marked up copy of the PTO Form-1449 that was submitted with the Information Disclosure Statement, with the corrections to be made indicated in red ink.

We apologize for the errors, and appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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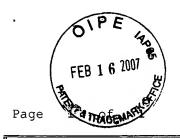
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